

# ORDER *of* WORSHIP

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**Prelude**

**Welcome**

To all who are weary and need rest;  
To all who mourn and long for comfort;  
To all who feel worthless and wonder if God cares;  
To all who fail and desire strength;  
To all who sin and need a Savior;  
To all who hunger and thirst for righteousness;  
And to whoever will come—

This Church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

**Call to Worship**

Leviticus 23 (selected verses)

Leader: The LORD spoke to Moses, saying, "Six days shall work be done, but on the seventh day is a Sabbath of solemn rest, a holy convocation."

People of God, rest in the Lord and worship him!

**Hymn of Praise**

**Holy, Holy, Holy**  
Holy holy holy Lord God Almighty  
Early in the morning  
Our song shall rise to thee  
Holy holy holy merciful and mighty  
God in three Persons blessed Trinity

Holy holy holy all the saints adore thee  
Casting down their golden crowns  
Around the glassy sea  
Cherubim and seraphim  
Falling down before thee  
Who wert and art and evermore shalt be

Holy holy holy  
Though the darkness hide thee  
Though the eye of sinful man  
Thy glory may not see  
Only thou art holy there is none beside thee  
Perfect in pow'r in love in purity

Holy holy holy Lord God Almighty  
All thy works shall praise thy name  
In earth and sky and sea  
Holy holy holy merciful and mighty  
God in three Persons blessed Trinity

**Invocation**

**The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

**Gloria Patri**

Glory be to the Father  
And to the Son and to the Holy Ghost  
As it was in the beginning  
Is now and ever shall be  
World without end Amen Amen

**Affirmation of Faith**

The Heidelberg Catechism, Q/A #26

Leader: Who is God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth?

People: **[God is] the eternal Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who out of nothing created heaven and earth and everything in them, who still upholds and rules them by his eternal counsel and providence, is my God and Father because of Christ his Son.**

**I trust him so much that I do not doubt he will provide whatever I need for body and soul, and he will turn to my good whatever adversity he sends me in this sad world. He is able to do this because he is almighty God; he desires to do this because he is a faithful Father.**

**I Set My Hope**

When this life of trials tests my faith  
I set my hope on Jesus  
When the questions come and doubts remain  
I set my hope on Jesus  
For the deepest wounds that time won't heal  
There's a joy that runs still deeper  
There's a truth that's more than all I feel  
I set my hope on Jesus

*Chorus*

*I set my hope on Jesus  
My Rock my only trust  
Who set his heart upon me first  
I set my hope on Jesus*

Though I falter in this war with sin  
I set my hope on Jesus  
When I fail the fight and sink within  
I set my hope on Jesus  
Though the shame would drown me in its sea  
And I dread the waves of justice  
I will cast my life on Calvary  
I set my hope on Jesus

*Chorus*

Though the world call me to leave my Lord  
I set my hope on Jesus  
Though it offer all its vain rewards  
I set my hope on Jesus  
Though this heart of mine is prone to stray  
Give me grace enough to finish  
'Till I worship on that final day  
I set my hope on Jesus

*Chorus*

*continued*

I set my hope on Jesus  
My Rock my only trust  
Who set his heart upon me first  
I set my hope on Jesus  
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### **Call to Confession**

Matthew 22:37-40

**Leader:** And he said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets."

### **Public Confession**

**Leader:** Let us confess our sins together.

**All:** Most holy and merciful Father, please forgive us for our many trespasses and sins; for we have often sinned in thought, word, and deed; by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart, and mind, and strength. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have often thought more of ourselves than we have of our neighbors, and we have often compared ourselves to each other instead of loving each other. We have held grudges and refused to forgive others, as we have been forgiven. We have been deaf to your call to serve others, as Christ served us. We confess to you, Lord, all our past unfaithfulness, pride, hypocrisy, partiality, and impatience. We confess our self-indulgent appetites and ways, our exploitation of other people, our uncontrolled anger, our envy of those more fortunate than ourselves, our intemperate love of worldly goods and comforts, our dishonesty in daily life and work, and our negligence in prayer and worship. Restore us, good Lord. Accomplish in us the work of your salvation, that we may show forth your glory in the world. Amen.

### **Silent Confession**

### **Assurance of Pardon and Comfort**

Romans 8:31-32

**Leader:** What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things?

Hear and receive the good news of the gospel: in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

### **Pastoral Prayer**

## **Tithes And Offerings**

### **Musical Offering**

#### **Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery**

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry  
In the dawning of the King  
He the theme of heaven's praises  
Robed in frail humanity  
In our longing in our darkness  
Now the Light of Life has come  
Look to Christ who condescended  
Took on flesh to ransom us

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry  
He the perfect Son of Man  
In his living in his suff'ring  
Never trace nor stain of sin  
See the true and better Adam  
Come to save the hellbound man  
Christ the great and sure fulfillment  
Of the law in him we stand

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry  
Christ the Lord upon the tree  
In the stead of ruined sinners  
Hangs the Lamb in victory  
See the price of our redemption  
See the Father's plan unfold  
Bringing many sons to glory  
Grace unmeasured love untold

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry  
Slain by death the God of life  
But no grave could e'er restrain him  
Praise the Lord he is alive  
What a foretaste of deliv'rance  
How unwavering our hope  
Christ in power resurrected  
As we will be when he comes

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### **The Doxology**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise him all creatures here below  
Praise him above ye heavenly host  
Praise Father Son and Holy Ghost Amen

### **Prayer Of Dedication**

## Sermon

### "Cain and Abel – Part 2"

Genesis 4:8-16

Rev. Richard Harris

## Closing Song

### How Firm A Foundation

How firm a foundation you saints of the Lord  
Is laid for your faith in his excellent Word  
What more can he say  
Than to you he has said  
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled

Fear not I am with you O be not dismayed  
For I am your God and will still give you aid  
I'll strengthen you help you  
And cause you to stand  
Upheld by my righteous omnipotent hand

When through fiery trials  
Your pathway shall lie  
My grace all sufficient shall be your supply  
The flame shall not hurt you I only design  
Your dross to consume and your  
Gold to refine

The soul that on Jesus  
Has leaned for repose  
I will not I will not desert to his foes  
That soul though all hell  
Should endeavor to shake  
I'll never no never no never forsake

## Benediction

## Postlude

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